

PATENT

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of
Inventor(s):

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For (Title): Metal Single Layer Abrasive Having a Contoured
Cutting Surface

1. TYPE OF APPLICATION:

This new application is for a(n) (check one applicable
item below):

- ☒ Original
- ☐ Design
- ☐ Plant
- ☐ Divisional
- ☐ Continuation
- ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents
referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States
Postal Service on this date March 15, 1996 in an envelope as "Express Mail
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2. **Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 USC 120):**

☐ The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. applications(s) and enclosed are ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION(S) CLAIMED.

3. **Papers Enclosed Which Are Required For Filing Date Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) Regular) or 37 CFR 1.153 (Design) Application:**

26 Pages of specification
8 Pages of claims
2 Pages of Abstract
1 Sheets of drawing

☐ formal

☒ informal

4. **Additional papers enclosed:**

- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Form PTO-1449
- ☐ Citations
- ☐ Declaration of Biological Deposit
- ☐ Submission of "Sequence Listing," computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence.
- ☐ Authorization of Attorney(s) to Accept and Follow instructions from Representative
- ☐ Special Comments
- ☐ Other

5. Declaration or oath:

☐ Enclosed

executed by (check all applicable boxes)

☐ inventor(s)

☐ legal representative of inventor(s).
37 CFR 1.42 or 1.43

☐ joint inventor or person showing a
proprietary interest on behalf of
inventor who refused to sign or
cannot be reached.

☐ this is the petition required by 37 CFR 1.47
and the statement required by 37 CFR 1.47 is
also attached.

☒ Not Enclosed.

☐ Application is made by a person authorized under
37 CFR 1.41(c) on behalf of ALL the above
named inventor(s). (The declaration or oath,
along with the surcharge required by 37 CFR
1.16(e) can be filed subsequently).

☐ Showing that the filing is authorized. (Not
required unless called into question. 37 CFR 1.41(d).

6. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application
are:

☒ The same
or

☐ Are not the same. An explanation, including the
ownership of the various claims at the time the
last claimed invention was made,

☐ is submitted

☐ will be submitted

7. Language

☒ English

☐ non-English

☐ the attached translation is a verified translation.
37 CFR 1.52(d).

8. **Assignment:**

☒ An assignment of the invention to NORTON COMPANY

☐ is attached. A separate "ASSIGNMENT COVER LETTER ACCOMPANYING NEW PATENT APPLICATION" is also attached.

☒ will follow.

9. **Certified Copy:**

Certified Copy(ies) of application(s)

(country)	(appln. no.)	(filed)
(country)	(appln. no.)	(filed)
(country)	(appln. no.)	(filed)

from which priority is claimed

☐ is (are) attached.

☐ will follow.

10. **Fee Calculation (37 CFR 1.16):**

A. ☒ Regular application

CLAIMS AS FILED			
Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$750.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1/16(c) 32 - 20 = 12 X		\$22.00	\$264.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1/16(b) 5 - 3 = 2 X		\$78.00	\$156.00
Multiple dependent claims(s, if any (37 CFR 1.16(d)		\$250.00	

☐ Amendment canceling extra claims enclosed.

☐ Amendment deleting multiple-dependencies enclosed.

☐ Fee for extra claims is not being paid at this time.

Filing Fee Calculation \$1,170.00

- B. ☐ **D sign applicati n**
(\$310.00 -- 37 CFR 1.16(f))

Filing Fee Calculation \$_____

- C. ☐ **Plant application**
(\$510.00-37 CFR 1.16(g))

Filing Fee Calculation \$_____

11. Small Entity Statement(s)

- ☐ Verified Statement(s) that this is a filing by a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is (are) attached.

Filing Fee Calculation \$_____
(50% of A, B or C above)

12. Request for International-Type Search (37 CFR 1.104(D)
(Complete, if applicable)

- ☐ Please prepare an international-type search report for this application at the time when national examination on the merits takes place.

13. Fee Payment Being Made At This Time

- ☐ Not Enclosed

- ☐ No filing fee is to be paid at this time.
(This and the surcharge required by 37 CFR 1.16(e) can be paid subsequently.)

- ☒ Enclosed

☒ basic filing fee \$1,170.00

- ☐ recording assignment
(\$40.00; 37 CFR 1.21(h)) (see attached
"COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT ACCOMPANYING
NEW APPLICATION".)

- ☐ petition fee for filing by other than
all the inventors or person on behalf
of the inventor where inventor refused
to sign or cannot be reached. (\$130.00;
37 CFR 1.47 and 1.17(h)) \$_____

- ☐ for processing an application with a
specification in a non-English
language. (\$130.00; 37 CFR 1.52(d) and
1.17(k)) \$_____

☐ processing and retention fee (\$130.00;
37 CFR 1.53(d) and 1.21(l)) \$_____

☐ fee for international-type search
report (\$40.00; 37 CFR 1.21(e)). \$_____

Total fees enclosed \$1,170.00

14. Method of Payment of Fees

☐ Check in the amount of \$_____

☒ Charge Account No. **14-1400** in the amount of \$1,170.00
A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

15. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. **14-1400**:

☒ 37 CFR 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)

☒ 37 CFR 1.16(b), (c) and (d) (presentation of extra claims)

☒ 37 CFR 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application)

☐ 37 CFR 1.17 (application processing fees)

☐ 37 CFR 1.18 (Issue fee at or before mailing of Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.31(b))

16. Instructions As To Overpayment

☒ credit Account No. 14-1400

☐ refund

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☐ Incorporation by reference of added pages

Check the following item if the application in this transmittal claims the benefit of prior U.S. application(s) (Including an international application entering the U.S. stage as a continuation, divisional or C-I-P application) and complete and attach the ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION(S) CLAIMED

☐ Plus Added Pages For New Application Transmittal Where Benefit Of Prior U.S. Application(s) Claimed

Number of pages added _____

☐ Plus Added Pages For Papers Referred To In Item 4 Above

Number of pages added _____

☐ Plus "Assignment Cover Letter Accompanying New Application"

Number of pages added _____

☒ Statement Where No Further Pages Added

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